

CYCLE PLANT BURNS
AT NEW LONDON, WIS.

BENTWOOD COMPANY'S FACTORY DESTROYED.

The Building Will Be Replaced at Once—The Loss Is Twice the Amount of the Insurance—G. P. Gifford, of Oconomowoc, Dead—Some Other State Specials.

New London, Wis., Feb. 9.—[Special]—Fire destroyed the plant of the Bentwood Cycle Company this morning. The loss on the stock and building is \$12,000; insurance \$6,000. The factory will be rebuilt at once, the managers say.

Karaboo, Wis., Feb. 9.—The farm residence of Frederick Getchell, in Fairfield, was burned last night. The loss is fully covered by insurance.

GEORGE P. GIFFORD IS NO MORE

Well Known Oconomowoc Man Is Called Home—The State Death Roll.

Oconomowoc, Wis., Feb. 9.—[Special]—George Gifford Sr., one of the best known men in this county, died suddenly this morning.

Mineral Point, Wis., Feb. 9.—Mrs. M. W. Gra, aged 64, became suddenly ill from heart failure last night in church and died immediately after having been removed to Dr. Vivian's house across the street. She had lived here fifty-two years.

Portage, Wis., Feb. 9.—Miss Martha Bentley, daughter of Daniel Bentley, of Rocky Run, died yesterday, aged 22 years. She was an accomplished equestrienne.

De Pere, Wis., Feb. 9.—John Morrison, aged 34 years died this morning. He was an Englishman and served in the British army. He was also a soldier in the Mexican war. John Van der Hyden died last night at the age of 76 years. He was a native of Holland and had been a resident of De Pere for thirty-five years.

Baraboo, Wis., Feb. 9.—News has reached here of the death of Harry Reed, which occurred in Missouri. The remains will be taken to Delavan for burial.

Menasha, Wis., Feb. 9.—Frederick Raasch, aged 38 years died of consumption.

ANTI-DEPARTMENT STORE BILL,

To Be Introduced by Assemblyman Taylor of Marinette.

Marinette, Wis., Feb. 9.—When Assemblyman George W. Taylor left for Madison he carried with him the draft of a bill which had been prepared under the direction of the Retail Business Men's and Property Owners' association. The bill is directed against the large department stores. It divides the retail trade into seventy-eight classes, and these in turn into twelve groups, and provides for a department store plan with a license in cities of a population of 2,000 or over of not less than \$500. All stores conducted contrary to the act are declared to be public nuisances and a fine imposed of not less than \$5 nor more than \$200 a day, or imprisonment of not less than one nor more than one year. The bill is substantially a copy of the one now in the Illinois legislature.

Delavan Electric Railway

Delavan, Wis., Feb. 9.—At a meeting of the village board, a twenty-year franchise for an electric street railway was granted to the Delavan Light and Fuel company. The road is designed to accommodate the travel between the town and Delavan lake during the resort season.

Favor Spring Shooting.

Oshkosh, Wis., Feb. 9.—Oshkosh sportsmen are not at all in favor of the abolition of spring shooting. Members of the Fox River Hunting and Fishing club will protest against the incorporation of such a prohibition in the new law.

Gift To an Orphan Asylum.

Green Bay, Wis., Feb. 9.—A bequest of \$10,000 has been received by St. Joseph's orphan asylum of this city. It was left by the Rev. Father Ritter, who died at St. Joseph's, Calumet county, a year ago.

A Failure at Madison

Madison, Wis., Feb. 9.—F. U. Sheehy a painter and wall paper dealer of this city, has made an assignment. Assets about \$2,000. Liabilities will not exceed this amount.

Indiana Railway Shops Burned.

Evansville, Ind., Feb. 9.—The machinery department of the Louisville, Evansville and St. Louis railroad shops at Princeton, Ind., was completely destroyed by fire at 2 o'clock Monday morning. The loss will reach \$200,000. Two hundred men will be thrown out of employment.

To Improve the Mississippi.

Washington, Feb. 9.—The committee on rivers and harbors of the house decided to report a resolution to use a part of the appropriation for the upper Mississippi river to stop a cut from the Mississippi to the Ohio river north of Cairo, Ill.

"Kid" Lavigne in 25 Rounds.
New York, Feb. 9.—"Kid" Lavigne got the decision over "Kid" McPartland of New York Monday night before the Broadway Athletic club in twenty-five rounds.

SUGAR MAN SLY.

Searles Guards the Trust—Foreigners, He Says, Undersell the Combine.

New York, Feb. 9.—The secretary and treasurer of the American Sugar Refineries company, John E. Searles, appeared Monday before the special legislative committee which is engaged in an attempt to lay bare the alleged iniquities of trusts. His examination lasted three hours and a half, and when it ended he had given no material answer without qualification.

Mr. Searles made some important observations on the tariff. He said that under the present tariff law 200,000 of the 2,000,000 tons of refined sugar used in the United States annually were sent in by Germany and China. They can afford to undersell the trust from one-quarter to three-eighths of a cent per pound, and their exports last year were limited only by their capacity to produce.

If Mr. Searles' statement is true, if the tariff on sugar is unchanged, obviously it is only a question of time before the demand for sugar will be met, not by the trust, but by the Germans and the Chinese.

MAY SEIZE THE VANDALIA.

Measures Proposed in Indiana to Get \$1,500,000 Said to Be Due.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 9.—Attorney General Ketchum sent to the legislature to-day a long communication in reference to the investigation of the Vandalia Railway Company, and with it a statement submitted at the request of the legislature, by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. In his communication the attorney general charges that the statement furnished by the railroad company is not a true one, that it is taken from the published reports which were made up with the view of defrauding the state.

The next step will be to try to pass a bill authorizing the attorney general to proceed in the courts against the road for the collection of the \$1,500,000 alleged to be due the state. The bill which has been prepared provides that if the debt is found to be a just one the state shall take possession of the road and operate it until the debt shall have been paid.

Lee Acts in Behalf of Scovel.

Havana, Feb. 9.—Consul-General Lee visited Gen. Ahumada, acting captain-general during the absence of Gen. Weyler, Monday, on behalf of Sylvester Scovel, the war correspondent of the New York World, recently arrested by Spanish guerrillas near Tunas, in the southern part of the province of Santa Clara. Gen. Ahumada, referring to the case, said that Scovel had been transferred to Sancti Spiritus. He announced that Scovel had been turned over to the civil authorities, and that he would be tried according to the treaty between the United States and Spain. Gen. Ahumada also said that he is now investigating the matter.

Vigilantes After C. K. Rush.

Omaha, Neb., Feb. 9.—Sheriff Reynolds of Wayne county, having in charge the prisoner, C. K. Rush, stopped at Omaha last night in his flight from a mob of vigilantes who were determined to hang Rush. Last week Rush murdered his wife and three children. Sixty of the vigilantes appeared at the Wayne jail Sunday night, but the sheriff persuaded them to wait until last night. Then to-day he took his prisoner and fled. Rush is 33 years old, and appears to be a man of a fair degree of intelligence.

Rewards Offered for Novak.

Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Feb. 9.—Rewards have been offered by the governor of the state and the supervisors of Benton county for the capture of Frank Novak, wanted to answer the charge of murdering Edward Murray and of burning his own store at Wal-ford. It is positively asserted that Novak was seen the day after the fire in that vicinity and his capture is considered almost certain.

Carlisle to Live in New York.

Washington, Feb. 9.—Secretary Carlisle has definitely decided to locate in New York on March 4 for the practice of law. This statement has been sent out by certain correspondents, although at the treasury department it is believed to be premature at least. It is understood there that the secretary has reached no conclusion as to whether he will locate in New York or Louisville.

Mr. Bryan Reaches Home.

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 9.—W. J. Bryan returned Monday from his recent trip to Texas and other southern states. The legislatures of four western states have invited him to address them, but he has not yet determined to accept. He says he does not know how long he will remain home.

Ex-Gov. Long Accepts the Navy.

Canton, Ohio, Feb. 9.—Ex-Gov. Long of Massachusetts has been formally tendered and has accepted the Navy portfolio. The acceptance came a few hours after the tender and the tender was made, it is said, within the last twenty-four hours. This leaves but two more cabinet places to fill.

Maj. Dick Wants to Be Governor.

Akron, O., Feb. 9.—Maj. Charles W. F. Dick is making preparations to reopen his law office here when his work in Mark Hanna's office is done. It is reported here that he will not accept a place under the administration, but will be a candidate for governor this year.

FOUR SAILORS LOST
WHILE WINDS RAGE

WHITE SQUADRON IN A TERRIFIC GALE.

United States Warships, En Route to Charleston, S. C., Have a Narrow Escape From Destruction—Many Men Killed and Injured—May Delay the Blockade Exhibition.

Charleston, S. C., Feb. 9.—The first detachment of the white squadron has arrived here, and with its arrival comes the news of a most serious disaster. Four lives lost and more than a dozen men laid up with painful and, in the case of six, serious injuries tell the tale of the latest of the long list of accidents and mishaps which have occurred to the navy in the last year or so. This time it was not the fault of incompetent or negligent officers, but was the work of one of the many storms that have been prevailing along the coast during the last week.

The names of the four men who lost their lives are: LEONARD C. KOEGL, JOHN BROWN, ALEXANDER B. NELSON; all of the Maine; lost at sea.

—SHAWBERT, carpenter, Richmond, Va., of the Marblehead; crushed. The following seriously injured are of the Marblehead: Dennis Ryan, blacksmith. Charles Osborne, shipwright. Scanlan, apprentice. Reagan, apprentice. Anderson, seaman.

The officers of the Maine reported that on Friday night, when off Hatteras, a distance of about fifty miles from shore, the full force of the storm struck the vessel. The wind blew at the rate of from fifty to seventy miles an hour. The sea, which was very heavy, swept the deck and made it imperative that the guns and certain of the superstructure should be lashed to the deck. A number of men were detailed for this duty, and when the work was about finished an immense wave covered the vessel and carried overboard Leonard C. Kogel, John Brown, Alexander B. Nelson, Hassell, Cronan and Freeman. The life-saving crew, under command of Cadet Walter R. Cherard, a son of admiral Cherard, immediately went to the rescue. By the means of life buoys, Hassell, Cronan and Freeman were saved, but the others were drowned, and their bodies could not be recovered.

The crew performed their duty with marked gallantry at the risk of their lives. It is impossible to learn the nature of the damages to the Maine. They are not thought to be serious.

The Marblehead suffered most. She encountered the storm near the same locality, and received the full shock. She lost a portion of her foremast and superstructure, two of her hatches, her searchlight, pilot house, port lower boom, lifeboats and rails.

Carpenter Shawbert of Richmond, Va., was standing in the foremast when it was wrecked, and he was crushed to death. He was buried at sea. Plumber Hickey suffered a compound fracture of the skull, and will die. Among the injured are Blacksmith Dennis Ryan, Shipwright Charles Osborne, Apprentices Scanlan and Reagan and Seaman Anderson. They are seriously hurt, and will probably have to have some of their limbs amputated. Notwithstanding the damages to the Marblehead, she is said by her officers to have behaved admirably.

The transport steamer Fern, which reached Charleston on Saturday, left Hampton Roads with the other vessels, but steamed directly here, while the others put out to sea for a fleet evolution. As it was, she encountered a slight touch of the gale on Friday night.

It cannot be learned whether the damages to the fleet will delay the blockade maneuvers or not.

Don. M. Dickinson Coming Home.

San Francisco, Feb. 9.—Don M. Dickinson of Detroit, ex-postmaster-general and consul for the United States before the Bering sea claims commission, which has concluded a several weeks' session at Victoria, B. C., has arrived from the north, accompanied by Robert Lansing of Washington, N. Y., Associate United States Counsel Charles B. Warren of Detroit, Junior United States consul, and Chandler B. Anderson of New York, secretary of the commission.

Millers Ask Reciprocity.

Chicago, Feb. 9.—The board of managers of the Millers' National association held a session at the Auditorium Monday. The purpose is to advance the interests of millers by getting reciprocity provisions in the new tariff bill affecting export flour.

It was reported that some action would be taken to oppose the proposed pooling bill, but the subject was not brought up. Following the meeting Mr. Pillsbury said he was opposed to the measure and had always been.

Weyler Says It Will Soon End.

Havana (via Key West), Feb. 9.—During the course of the recent remarks of Capt.-Gen. Weyler at Villa Clara, the Spanish commander said that he expected to put an end to the revolution in the province of Santa Clara in the near future. He said that the Cuban revolution was not being conducted as a war.

TREATY DISCUSSED
AT WASHINGTON

SENATE HAS ITS FIRST EXECUTIVE SESSION.

Mr. Sherman Urges the Ratification of the Anglo-American Convention, with Its Amendments—Spoils System Attacked—A Pacific Commission—National Capital News.

Washington, Feb. 9.—The Anglo-American arbitration treaty was under consideration by the senate in executive session Monday. The debate was characterized by several sharp passages at arms, participated in by Senators Hill, Morgan, Lodge and Sherman.

The only vote of the day was secured on the Hill motion to open the doors of the senate to let the public hear the debate. It was defeated, the count showing only 9 to 49. The vote to open the doors was cast by two gold Democrats, Hill and Lindsay, two silver Democrats, Roach and Tillman, two Independent silver Republicans, Teller and Pettigrew, two Populists, Peffer and Stewart, and one straight Republican, Brown. This was not considered as in any respect a test vote, as there are known to be many senators opposed to the treaty who did not favor a departure from the ordinary practice of the senate. Still the friends of the treaty believe that sufficient strength was developed as to the attitude of the senators to justify the conclusion that the treaty is certain of ratification if it can be brought to a vote. It was made apparent, however, that the treaty would stand no chance without the committee amendments.

Senator Sherman, chairman of the committee on foreign relations, spoke for about an hour, making a strong plea for ratification. He explained the amendments made by the committee on foreign relations, defending the main amendment as essential to the proper understanding and interpretation of the agreement. He urged that this amendment did not detract from the treaty's scope except that in removing the Monroe doctrine from arbitration it also removed the question of the Nicaragua canal, which, he said, embraced in the Monroe doctrine.

Senator Sherman contended for the paramount importance of the treaty, and urged the senate to act upon it without unnecessary delay, as only by pursuing this course could the wishes of the country and the expectations of the civilized world be met. In conclusion, the senator said it would be a great mistake for the senate to repudiate the treaty, a mistake which would forfeit much of the high regard felt toward the United States as a nation of peace-lovers, and might exert a serious influence upon the progress of the world in the settlement of disputes without resorting to the atrocities of war.

Senator Morgan replied to Mr. Sherman, speaking in opposition to the treaty. The Alabama senator dwelt with emphasis upon its sweeping character, claiming that in delegating, as the treaty does, to the President the right to determine for this country the circumstances under which arbitration shall be resorted to, it robbed congress of a prerogative especially conferred upon it.

Senator Morgan said that there probably were few Americans who would be willing to announce themselves as opposed to the principle of arbitration, but it did not follow that every one must swallow the first measure presented which professed to put into execution this method of settling disputes between nations. He said that it behooved all persons to regard with especial caution the overtures of Great Britain in such an interest, and remarked that the island kingdom had never been especially known for her devotion to the welfare of the United States.

Senator Daniel intimated opposition to ratification on account of the danger of entangling alliances, and Senator Turpie asked a number of questions pointing in the same direction.

ATTACKS SPOILS SYSTEM.

Civil-Service Commission Proposes to Extend the Merit Idea.

Washington, Feb. 9.—The thirteenth annual report of the civil-service commission, covering the last fiscal year, has been submitted to the President. It reviews the growth of the government civil service, the efforts of the commission to eradicate partisanship in federal offices, and important civil-service reforms and extensions contemplated.

As to tenure of office the report says the administrative system now presents the anomaly of filling certain inferior positions by the test of merit and changing every four years the positions like collectors of customs and internal revenue, postmasters and chiefs of bureaus, in which the largest capacity and longest experience are required, and thus frequently subjecting the subordinates to inexperienced and incompetent superiors, to the demoralization of the public service.

There are now nearly 10,000 persons in the public service commissioned by the President, and this number is growing every year. At this rate of increase, says the report, in a few years it will be physically impossible for the President and cabinet officers to examine the papers and hear arguments and complaints relating to the large number of persons to be commissioned.

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RAISE CREEK FLAG AT CRETE
Christians Invite The King of Greece To Take Possession.

Athens, Feb. 9.—The Cretan committee has issued a proclamation addressed to the people of Greece, calling for assistance from all free men.

The latest news from Crete is to the effect that fighting outside the city still continues, and that a provisional Cretan government is being formed. The fires which were started as a result of the conflicts between Mussulmans and Christians have been completely extinguished. By far the larger portion of the town is, however, a heap of ruins.

A dispatch from Crete says that the Christians about Crete have hoisted the Greek flag, have proclaimed the union of that island with Greece, and have invited the king of Greece to take possession of it.

FIRES ARE QUENCHED.

Two Hundred Buildings Said to Have Been Destroyed at Canea.

Canea, Island of Crete, Feb. 9.—It is officially announced that the fires have been totally quenched. In all, according to the official report, 200 buildings have been destroyed and 5,000 Christians have fled. Of this number 2,000 are on board the British warships. The Greek warships have taken off the rest of the Christian refugees.

In conclusion the official report says that tranquillity reigned in the town and in its vicinity, and that the Turkish troops, throughout, behaved in an orderly manner. No excesses are reported on their part, and it is asserted that there has been no plundering.

British Troopship Sent.

London, Feb. 9.—The parliamentary secretary of the foreign office, Mr. Curzon, in the house of commons confirmed the dispatches on the Cretan situation, and said that, as far as he could judge, the maltreatment was about evenly distributed between the two parties, and the British government was as anxious to protect the Mussulmans as the Christians.

A British troopship has been dispatched from Malta with a fortnight's food for 1,200 Cretan refugees. The Christians are fighting under the flag of Greece all along the line.

The Indiana to Join the Squadron.

Washington, Feb. 9.—Secretary Herbert called the chief constructor and a number of the officials of the navy department into consultation Monday respecting the battleship Indiana, and as a result orders were sent to Capt. Taylor to sail with his ship at the earliest possible moment to rejoin the squadron. It was found that the securing gear of the turrets was in good order, and was fully sufficient for the purpose for which it was designed. Therefore no alterations were made and the ship was ordered to sea again.

Grosvenor Throws Out a Hint.

Washington, Feb. 9.—"It should be borne in mind by those who are making up a cabinet for President-elect McKinley," said Representative Grosvenor, "that thus far there has not been the slightest intimation as to a selection for postmaster-general. It is the opinion of those who are in the confidence of the President-elect that this office is going to be kept for Mark Hanna if he wants it, and it might be just as well understood among those who are naming other people for the position.

Sheet-Metal Workers Meet.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Feb. 9.—About fifty delegates were present Monday at the opening of the convention of the Amalgamated Sheet-Metal Workers' International association. The trouble with the American Federation of Labor was informally discussed, but no action was taken for withdrawal. It is proposed to revoke the charter of union No. 102 of New York. The independent order in that city is recognized by the federation.

Missouri and the Cabinet.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 9.—"President-elect McKinley did not say so to us," said Gardiner Lathrop, "but we understood that if Judge McKenna of California accepts the secretaryship of the interior Maj. William Warner may be appointed first assistant secretary, with an understanding that when Judge McKenna takes Justice Field's place on the supreme bench he shall succeed to the portfolio."

New Torrens Law Introduced.

Chicago, Feb. 9.—The new Torrens law which has been drafted by the attorneys under the direction of the Chicago real-estate board was presented to the legislature to-day. It was introduced in the house by Representative George W. Miller and in the senate by Senator John Humphrey. They had charge of the original bill and pushed it to speedy passage.

Healy Goes to See Pope Leo.

London, Feb. 9.—It was stated in the lobby of parliament that Timothy M. Healy, the well-known anti-Parnell leader from North Louth, had gone to Rome for the purpose of seeing the pope.

Mrs. Beecher Rapidly Sinking.

Stamford, Conn., Feb. 9.—Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher was attacked with another sinking spell last night and her condition is again very critical.

Druggists report a boom in quinine

TO GIVE \$94,000
FOR STATE SCHOOL

GENERAL APPROPRIATION BILL INTRODUCED.

Provides for the Sum Mentioned For the Institute For the Blind In This City—Fishermen May Get Pay for Their Nets—Other Madison News.

Madison, Wis., Feb. 9.—[Special]—The general appropriation bill which was introduced in the senate this morning gives the school for the blind \$94,000 for current expenses, etc.

The fishermen who suffered loss at the hands of the fish wardens under the late fish and game law, may get back the value of the property destroyed by the wardens under the law.

A bill was introduced in the assembly this morning to appropriate money to pay the damages caused by the operation of the law.

Other important bills introduced were:

To create municipal court for Kenosha county.

Appropriating \$36,000 to the Oshkosh Fair Association.

Providing for the withdrawal of the Pere Marquette statue from Washington, to make room for the statue of the late General F. Schield and the late Governor Rusk. Bills were introduced in both houses to establish the corrupt practices act. According to this bill the candidates at every election, must publish a detailed account of his election expenses.

CATTLE SHIPMENT CHECKED

Secretary Morton Imposes Restrictions in Order to Check Disease.

Washington, Feb. 9.—Complying with the act of congress for the suppression of contagious diseases among domestic animals, Secretary Morton has issued to the managers and agents of railroads and transportation companies in the country, stockmen and others, a circular notifying them that a contagious and infectious disease known as splenic or southern fever exists among cattle in an area south of a federal quarantine line drawn from the northwest corner of California and running in an irregular direction to where the boundary line of Virginia joins the southeastern corner of Maryland at the Atlantic. This includes the following states:

California, Texas, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama, Florida, Georgia, South Carolina, North Carolina and Virginia, portions of Tennessee and the Indian territory. From February 15 to November 15, inclusive, during each year, no cattle are to be transported from the territory indicated by any portion of the United States above, north, east or west of the federal quarantine line, except by rail for immediate slaughter, and when so transported certain regulations are to be complied with.

AFFECTS FRATERNAL ORDERS.

Sweeping Opinion Delivered by Judge Clark of Chattanooga.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Feb. 9.—A decision has been handed down by Judge C. D. Clark of the United States district court in the case of Gertrude H. Whiteside versus the Improved Order of Heptasophs, which materially affects all fraternal insurance orders in America.

In overruling defendant's motion for a new trial in a suit for recovery of a benefit certificate, payment of which was denied for the reason that assessments necessary to the good standing of the deceased member had not been paid as required by the supreme laws of the order, the court held that fraternal orders were on the same legal footing as ordinary life companies, and that a local financial officer of a lodge could waive requirements of the supreme convocate.

The opinion is sweeping and will cause special attention at all supreme meetings.

O'MALLEY TESTIFIES.

Chicago Alderman on Trial for Murder Asserts His Innocence.

Chicago, Feb. 9.—Alderman Thos. J. O'Malley took the witness stand in his own behalf Monday and declared his innocence of the crime with which he is charged—the killing of Gustav Collander. The state's chief prosecutor plied the witness with questions so cleverly constructed that it seemed impossible for any one to avoid contradictions in replying. Despite the fire of questioning on the part of the people's representative Alderman O'Malley refused to be shaken in the telling of his story. The state's case is considered very weak, and a prompt acquittal is expected.

It will be the endeavor of all parties concerned to finish the taking of testimony to-day, but as the state is endeavoring to find some more people whose testimony may affect the credibility of the defendant's witnesses, there may be some delay which will carry the beginning of the arguments over until to-morrow afternoon.

Senators Harris and George Better.

Washington, Feb. 9.—Senator Harris of Tennessee was fairly comfortable Monday, although there was no marked change in his condition. Senator George

COUNTY NEWS NOTES TOLD IN A LINE

WHAT HAS HAPPENED 'ROUND ABOUT.

Interesting Gossip For the Week From Milton, Milton Junction, Footville, Magnolia, Shopiere, Emerald Grove and Other Villages Within the Borders of Old Rock.

The repelvin suit of G. O. Beylolds vs. John Povell was on trial before Justice Clarke Monday. F. M. Dyer appeared for the plaintiff and T. S. Nolan of Janesville, for the defendant. John Cunningham, a member of the Janesville bar, was a witness in the case and kindly officiated as clerk of the court. The court took the case under advisement and will render his judgment later.

There was quite a lively movement in stock and grain here last week. car load shipments included two cars of hogs by G. R. Fetherston, one of hogs by Vincent & Hassenger, two of oats and one of barley by Fetherston Brothers and three of tobacco by Soverhill & Porter. T. A. Saunders received three cars of coal, Fetherston Brothers one of bran, Soverhill a Porter one of tobacco and J. L. & M. F. Green one of lumber.

The residents along the Otter Creek road were treated to an exhibition of lott and ground tumbling Saturday by a lengthy nimrod from Lake Superior, who shot a fence post, while standing in his wagon.

The arrest of William Nash of the Morgan House, for alleged violation of the excise law, at the instance of the Law and Order league is the chief topic of conversation just at present. The Epworth League held a "Mystery and Shadow" social at the church parlors Friday evening, which was a novelty in the social line.

Two or three inches of snow would give the public fine sleighing in this locality and make business lively. Dunn, Boss & Co. have been busily engaged for a week past in taking their annual inventory.

Vincent and Hassenger shipped a car of live hogs to Milwaukee Monday night.

The local merchant who "warrented" his maple syrup had a "bad spell." Mrs. Kittie Crosby left for Minneapolis Friday, to join her husband.

Superintendent Throne made a visit to our public schools Friday.

Arthur Ayers of Delavan, visited his Milton relatives this week.

Chairman Davidson visited the capitol on business, Friday.

Born, on Saturday, to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ingham, a son.

Mrs. Dr. Schmitz is confined to the house by illness.

A United States revenue officer was in town Tuesday.

Geo. Algard of Oregon, was in town Friday.

MILTON JUNCTION NEWS NOTES

What Has Been Happening at That Village This Week

Milton Junction, Feb. 9.—Judge Henry Smith left for his home in Montana, Saturday. Stewart Chambers has sold his hotel property at Milton to a Mr. Wolf, and has purchased a house and lots on Palm street, Janesville.

Mrs. Israel Kelly went to Mezmamania Friday, to help care for her sick granddaughter at Sherman Crandall's. Mr. and Mrs. Erford Frink welcomed a fine baby boy at their home last Wednesday. Mrs. L. S. Smith will go to Fond du Lac to make her home.

Mr. Regan has rented the house now occupied by her. Mr. Southwick and wife will return from Iowa this spring and occupy their house here. Henry Crandall, son-in-law of Mr. Southwick, will return with him and work Ezra Goodrich's farm at Sunnyside.

Mr. Nash is charged with violating the excise law, and will be tried at Evansville. Lawyer Smith of Madison, has charge of the case. Mrs. Elder Stephens has been quite sick the past week. Mr. and Miss Denure of Woodford, Wis., are visiting their uncle, Stephen Kerns. Remember the lecture at the P. of B. hall next Saturday night, by Hon. S. C. Carr. Mr. and Mrs. Herb. Coon of Janesville, visited his father and sister here Sunday. Ruby Carr spends Saturday night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Carr.

SOME NEWS FROM FOOTVILLE.

Rev. J. J. Lugg's Congregation is Growing—Other News Notes.

Footville, Feb. 9.—Attendance at the M. E. church is still increasing. Rev. J. J. Lugg preached a very able and effective discourse Sunday forenoon.

Mrs. W. M. Ross is again able to be out, after her sickness and the loss of

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their four weeks' old daughter. Rev. I. B. Spencer pastor of the Christian church, Footville, commenced a series of special services Sunday evening. Wednesday evening a short service will be held, after which an oyster supper will be served at Mr. and Mrs. A. Hetrick's. A Valentine social will be given by the Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church, at O. H. Williams' Monday evening, Feb. 14. Mrs. H. Egerton has fully recovered from her late illness. Mrs. Webb J. Owen is again on the sick list. We feel that Mrs. Owen has more than her share of sickness. Her early and complete recovery is hoped for by her many friends. Mrs. Mattie Parmley and daughter Lula of Pasadena, Cal., who are spending the winter with relatives in Footville, are not visiting Mrs. Parmley's sister, Mrs. I. Ogden. A large attendance is looked for at the lecture by Rev. Updike, D. D. of Madison, Thursday evening. Subject—"Social Facts and Forces." Between three and four hundred cases of



Miss Westbrook, "Human Hearts" Famous Beauty.

tobacco has been put up at the warehouse since the first of January. The orchestra of the State School for the Blind play at the Peoples' Lecture Course concert, Masonic Hall, Footville, Friday evening, February 19th. Also Mrs. Helen H. Lemmel of Whitewater, Wis., one of Wisconsin's best singers, will render vocal selections. The entertainment given at Masonic hall, February 4, was a success in every respect both entertainingly and financially. The house was well filled. Mrs. O. H. Brand's selections were well received. Those who carried off the honors of the evening were Mrs. Mattie Parmley and Mr. Fred H. Bemis who were first class amateurs and Miss Jessie Silverthorn did remarkably well with her recitation. A little training is all that is needed to make Jessie an elocutionist of merit. Miss Hattie Dann and Miss Fara Richards, who are attending school at Evansville, returned home to spend Sunday. Allie Richards and wife of St. Paul, are still visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Richards of Footville. Ed Ryan of Janesville, was in town on business, this week. Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Dabson of this place are to leave us next month. They go to Oberlin, N. D., where Mr. Dabson is to oversee his brother-in-law's farm. Our village will miss them.

Mr. Andrew Cain, of Magnolia, came down to attend the entertainment Thursday evening returning Friday afternoon. Byron Smiley, of Beloit, was in town Monday tuning a few pianos and organs in the village and vicinity. On Thursday evening at the Methodist church Dr. E. G. Updike pastor of the First Congregational church at Madison will deliver the last lecture of the People's Lecture Course. His subject will be "Social Facts and Forces." On Friday evening of next week the closing entertainment of the Lecture Course will be given in the Masonic hall. This will consist of a musical and literary program the prominent features of which will be numbers by the full orchestra of State School for the Blind, vocal solos by Mrs. Helen Howarth Lemmel, of Whitewater, piano solos by W. Irving Andrus, of Chicago, zither solos by Miss Charlotte Pabst, of Janesville, select recitations by Miss Mae Johnson, of Evansville, together with a variety of interesting numbers by local talent. Admission 25 cents, children 10 cents.

A WEEK'S EVENTS AT SHOPIERE

Mr. and Mrs. Rice Celebrate Their Wedding Anniversary—Other Items.

Shopiere, Feb. 9.—The twenty-fifth wedding anniversary of Charles Rice and wife was celebrated Saturday evening, Feb. 6, by about eighty of their friends from Janesville, Afton, Shopiere and LaPrairie. They were not surprised at the number that gathered there, but they were surprised when J. B. Humphrey from Afton, called them to the front and presented them with a beautiful tea set, in behalf of their friends. Charles responded by thanking the donors. After partaking of supper they departed for their homes. Leroy Adams expects to leave this week with his family for Iowa here

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CADETS CAN PAY UP ALL THEIR DEBTS

TRADES CARNIVAL SQUARED ALL ACCOUNTS.

The Net Profit Was Nearly Two Hundred Dollars—Charming Luncheon Given in Honor of Mrs. T. J. Zeigler By Mrs. H. G. Carter—Some Other Local Social and Amusement Notes.

The Christ Church Cadets are today clear of debt and have money in the treasury as the result of the holding of the trades carnival given at the Armory.

After all expenses had been paid they cleared on the investment the neat sum of \$181.

Of this amount \$150 was used to clear them of their uniform and equipment debt, while the balance of the

amount will be used in erecting new lockers in their armory.

Entertained For Mrs. Zeigler.

Thirty-five ladies enjoyed the hospitality of Mrs. H. G. Carter yesterday afternoon at her Pleasant street home, the event being a 1 o'clock luncheon given in honor of Mrs. T. J. Zeigler of Minneapolis. The luncheon was served at small tables, the same being presided over by Misses Helen Prichard, Katherine Smith and Elizabeth Schicker. The house was tastefully decorated with plants, ferns and roses. Following the luncheon whist was indulged in, the honors being awarded to Mrs. Orion Sutherland and Mrs. Frank L. Smith.

"Human Hearts" Next Friday.

That beautiful play "Human Hearts" by Hal Reid will be the attraction at the Myers Grand next Friday evening. The scene is laid in the beautiful hills of Arkansas and the story is spirited, idyllic and thrilling by turns.

Some Other Social Notes.

Mrs. Eunice Woods will lecture this evening.

The Morried Folks danced at Concordia hall, last evening.

The Concordia society social and dance occurs this evening.

Over twenty afternoon and evening social events are on the tapis for this week.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Sutherland will entertain the I. M. C. whist club this evening.

The lady friends of the Light Infantry have planned a valentine social for Saturday evening.

S. C. BURNHAM will exhibit the gramophone at the Court Street Epworth League social this evening.

JANESVILLE promises to be represented at the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity party to be given in Beloit, Feb. 26.

A MEETING of the Daughters of the American Revolution was held with Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Lovejoy this afternoon.

Mrs. Sadie Donovan celebrated her fifteenth birthday anniversary yesterday, and a number of her young friends gave her a surprise party.

YUBA Circle No. 3, Golden Band, gave a basket social at Odd Fellows hall on West Milwaukee street, last evening, and the event was a very enjoyable one.

PROF. SMITH delivered the fourth lecture of the University course at the new High school last evening on the "Private Life of the Greeks." The next lecture in the course will be given next Monday evening on the "Amusements and Recreations of the Ancient Greeks."

"MUNICIPAL Disbursements" will be the topic for discussion by the Twilight club at their fifth regular meeting this evening at the Hotel Myers. W. S. Jeffris will be the leader. The topics for general discussion will be "Economy in Street Building," "Our Interest in Adjacent Country Roads," "Damage Suits—Justice and Abuse."

SHORT SESSION OF THE COUNCIL Little Business of Importance Was Transacted Last Evening

The common council held a half hour session at the city hall last night at which the aldermen voted to:

Request the mayor to call a citizens' meeting to consider the "proposed change in running trains on the railroads."

Request the police committee to investigate and report on the question of salaries of the special police.

Paid a number of bills, received reports, etc.

Alderman McKay was the only absentee. The reports of the city treasurer; the municipal court; and the board of education were received and referred to the finance, judiciary, and school committees, and all were reported back favorably and adopted.

The bill of Rock county for one-third of the cost of supplies for the municipal court for the year 1896, was referred to the finance committee, and further time was granted.

The druggist's permit granted to M. E. Austin was transferred to H. K. White, on the recommendation of Chairman Stoddard, of the license committee.

On the favorable report of Chairman Haddles of the finance committee, a number of bills were ordered paid.

Alderman Mitmore offered the following resolution, which was adopted unanimously:

"RESOLVED, That the mayor be and is hereby requested to call a meeting of the business men of the city to consider the proposed changes in running of trains upon the railroads."

Alderman McLean moved that the police committee look into the matter of the salaries paid the special police, and report, as there had been some talk of increasing their pay. The motion was adopted, and the council adjourned.

NINE INSANE PATIENTS LEAVE Richland County Now Has an Asylum of Its Own.

Superintendent Allen, of the county farm, has received orders to transfer nine patients—three women and six men—to Richland county where they originally belonged.

This move is made possible by the erection of a new insane hospital in Richland county.

Preparations are also being made by Superintendent Allen for the removal of a number of patients to the hospital for the feeble minded at Chippewa Falls. Just how many will be removed is not at present known.

ODD BITS OF LOCAL GOSSIP

R. K. Lyceum meets tonight.

J. D. Holmes continues to improve.

The Trades council will meet tonight.

JUDGE BENNETT has returned to Jefferson.

The Modern Woodmen will meet tonight.

The Union Catholic League meets this evening.

This is the meeting night for the Twilight club.

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Mrs. FERN BEAKE, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. T. DeWitt Peake of Beloit, formerly of this city, has been visiting Janesville friends.

The publishers of The Ladies' World and The Ladies' Home Journal have each donated a year's subscription to Oak Lawn hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rider returned to their home in Winona, Minn., yesterday, after a visit with Mrs. Rider's mother, Mrs. Caroline Rider.

EASTERN people must be consumers of Pearl White and Vienna. J. M. Shackleton has recently shipped three cars of flour to Buffalo, N. Y.

The regular weekly meeting of Janesville City Lodge No. 90, Independent Order Odd Fellows, will be held at Odd Fellows' hall, West Milwaukee street, tonight.

You have no idea of what the one-third price means on all cloaks unless you have seen them. \$3.00 garments go at \$1.00, \$6.00 ones at \$2.00, \$9.00 ones at \$3.00, \$12.00 cloaks for \$4.00, \$15.00 coats for \$5.00 and so on. T. P. BONES.

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In our stock are gros grain silks, marvelous values; rich satin effects in duchesse, rhadamers, pean de soie, Lyons, luxors, Pekin reps, brocades; excellent qualities in mascots, armures, failles, crystals, taffetas, mourning silks, surahs, Indias, fancy blacks in gros-grains and taffeta, grounds, etc. We occupy a unique position in regard to silks. Such a complete line can be seen only in the largest cities, but we can offer ours at much less than city prices, being under much lighter expense. Compared to ordinary silk departments, merchants outside of the large cities are simply not in it. Comparison easily proves our statements

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THIS DAY IS FEBRUARY 9, 1897.

1773—General William Henry Harrison, ninth president of the United States, born in Charles City county, Va.; died in Washington city 1841.

1814—Samuel Jones Tilden, statesman, born in New Lebanon, N. Y.; died Aug. 4, 1886.

1822—James Parton, American author, born in Canterbury, England; died 1891.

1826—Samuel Bowles born in Springfield, Mass.; died 1878; he edited the Springfield Republican 34 years. General John Alexander Logan, soldier and statesman, born in Jackson county, Ill.; died 1885.

1834—Cetewayo, king of the Zulus, who gave the English trouble in 1878-9, died.

1886—General Winfield Scott Hancock, distinguished Union leader, died on Governors Island, New York bay; born 1824.

1894—Maxime du Camp, a noted French author, died at Paris; born 1823.

1896—Jean Auguste Barro, distinguished French sculptor, died in Paris; born 1811. Reinhold Post, LL. D., a high authority in oriental literature, died in London.

DISCUSS THE TREATY.

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and the repeal of the four-year tenure laws will be absolutely necessary. The commission is of the opinion that the fourth-class postoffices may be included in the classification by executive order.

Will Count the Vote Tomorrow.

Washington, Feb. 9.—The house devoted the whole day Monday to District of Columbia business, and two bills of more or less local importance were passed. The certificates of election of the presidential electors forwarded to the house by the secretary of state were submitted and ordered to lie on the table in anticipation of the counting of the electoral vote Wednesday. The conference report on the immigration bill was presented, and notice given that it would be called up today. Mr. Bartholdt (rep., Mo.), who fought the first report, has signed the present report, and it will be adopted, it is believed, practically without opposition. The speaker appointed Messrs. Grosvenor (O.) and Richardson (Tenn.) as tellers on the part of the house to count the electoral vote.

For a Pacific Commission.

Washington, Feb. 9.—The house committee on Pacific railways decided to report favorably to the house the bill introduced by Representative Harrison of Alabama for a commission to settle the indebtedness of the Pacific roads to the government. The commission is to consist of the secretaries of the treasury and interior and the attorney-general. The amendment suggested by Attorney-General Harbo that the commission should not interfere with pending negotiations is adopted.

Tariff on Steel Rails Will Stand.

Washington, Feb. 9.—The members of the committee on ways and means are framing the new tariff bill. They will put this rate in the preliminary draft of the bill, though the rate may be reduced before the final draft is completed.

Victory of Scalpers.

Washington, Feb. 9.—The senate committee on interstate commerce killed the railroad anti-ticket scalpers' bill Monday. After the meeting Senator Cullom, the chairman, bluntly notified the representatives of the railroads that they might as well abandon hope and go home. Up to this the railroads believed they had the best of it and that the committee would bring in a favorable report. Senators Gorman, Chandler and Chilton came out in open opposition and raised the point that it would be bad policy to report even a good bill under the head of "general legislation" at a time when it was manifest that no measure could hope to pass against which there was opposition. As for this particular bill it was so clearly special in the interests of railroads and of such doubtful merit that they were against committee action this session.

Immigration Bill Is Safe.

Washington, Feb. 9.—The immigration bill as it comes from conference will doubtless pass both houses in a very short time. There is no doubt manifest among the president's friends that he will sign it in its new form. Senator Gorman even says that he shall not oppose it this time. There will of course be opposition to it, especially from the steamship companies. But that opposition will not be sufficient to harm the measure.

College Presidency for Wilson.

Washington, Feb. 9.—It is now admitted by Postmaster-General Wilson's friends that the presidency of Washington and Lee University, Lexington, Va. has been tendered informally to him, as was announced several weeks ago. His executive abilities, coupled with his educational and literary training fit him eminently for the post.

Exhibition at Vienna.

Washington, Feb. 9.—The secretary

of agriculture is advised through the state department, with a request from the minister of Austria-Hungary, to extend the information as widely as possible, that an exhibition of agricultural machinery will be held at Vienna May 9 to 14, 1897.

Four Hundredth Anniversary.

St. Louis, Feb. 9.—German Protestants will celebrate the 400th anniversary of the birth of Philip Melancthon on Sunday evening, Feb. 21. Philip Melancthon was the co-laborer of Martin Luther in the German reformation.

Nebraska Women Can Not Vote.

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 9.—The bill providing for a constitutional amendment giving Nebraska women the right to vote was defeated in the lower house of the legislature Monday by the decisive vote of 56 to 36. Populists were its principal supporters, the Republican minority showing almost unanimous opposition, and with them were the fusion leaders on the floor.

Few Illinois Solons on Hand.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 9.—The house met at 5 o'clock Monday afternoon with less than a quorum present. The session continued only a few minutes. There was no business transacted in the senate. As usual at the Monday sessions, there was not a quorum present. Immediately after the reading of the journal an adjournment was taken until this morning at 10 o'clock.

Serious Riots in Hamburg.

Hamburg, Feb. 9.—The riots, resulting from the disappointment due to the recent collapse of the dockers' strike, were renewed Sunday night. The police finally charged with drawn swords on the crowds in the vicinity of the Schaar market, and several persons were injured. A number of arrests were made.

Will Make Twine of Marsh Grass.

Oshkosh, Wis., Feb. 9.—The Wisconsin Grass Twine Company, recently incorporated in Milwaukee, have closed a deal for the purchase of the Northwestern shops in this city, and in three months will be manufacturing binding twine from marsh grass. One hundred and seventy-five men will be employed.

Georgia Savings Bank Suspend.

Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 9.—The state savings bank of Atlanta has been placed in the hands of a receiver. The bank's capital is \$100,000, and its deposits amount to \$75,000. The failure is due to the collapse several days ago of the Mutual Building and Loan Association, with which the bank was intimately related.

A Poet's Good Fortune.

Few American poets have been so substantially rewarded for their literary efforts as has Thomas Bailey Aldrich. He is now about 60 years old, and during more than half of that time he has lived the life of a wealthy man and not

that of the struggling author. The news of the recent windfall by which he received from his old friend and patron, Henry L. Pierce, money and property to the value of about \$400,000, did not surprise any of his friends, for it had been anticipated.

Claus Spreckels' Spunky Daughter.

Mrs. Emma Spreckels Watson holds the record for being the spunkiest heiress in America. She is the only daughter of Claus Spreckels, the California sugar king, and when her father objected to her choice of a husband she indignantly

returned to him bonds and property amounting to over \$1,500,000. Her father had picked out for her Samuel M. Shortridge, who is attorney for the Spreckels interests and candidate for the United States senate. Miss Emma did not fancy Mr. Shortridge and quietly married Mr. Thomas Watson, a middle-aged and prosperous broker of San Francisco, who had been for some time an intimate friend of the family.

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MELANCHOLY WOMEN.

AFRAID SOMETHING DREADFUL IS GOING TO HAPPEN.

How a Little Baby Girl Rolled the Clouds Away.

Of course a woman will naturally see the dark side of everything when tortured by some form of female disease, which her doctor cannot or does not relieve. No wonder she is melancholy when head and back ache, pains run through the whole body and loins, nerves are weak, stomach out of order, digestion poor, sense of fullness and bearing-down, poor sleep and appetite, always weak and tired, irregular menstruation, whites, etc.

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Vassar Girl a Salvationist.

No less than three Vassar girls are active members of the Salvation Army, and one of the most distinguished and interesting of the trio is Brigadier Susie Swift, who is now national auxiliary secretary of the American branch of the

Army. After being graduated Miss Swift became a teacher in a fashionable boarding school, but her health failed, and in the summer of 1884 she was taken to England by her sister, Miss Ella Leonard, a college chum, accompanied them, and they went to a Salvation meeting just for a lark. All became interested and eventually joined the Army.

A Story Telling Senator.

William E. Mason, the senator elect of Illinois, is a prominent Chicago lawyer, a successful campaigner and one of the best story tellers who ever went on the stump in that state. Mr. Mason was born in Franklinville, Cattaraugus county, N. Y., in 1850, but when he

was 8 years old his parents removed to Iowa and settled in Van Buren county. He studied law, went to Chicago and took an active part in politics. He was elected to the state legislature and the state senate. He was also elected a member of the Fifty-first congress from the Third Chicago district.

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Regular \$1.50 shoes, unequalled for cold weather. Well made, with leather soles. They go at..... 75c

These are but five items out of a well assorted stock. The shoes are \$2000 worth that we ordered before leaving Grand Rapids, Mich. We have no room for a shoe stock—need all our room for dry goods—and are clearing out every pair of shoes by cutting prices 50 cents on the dollar. The sale lasts only until Feb. 20, as we can't afford to devote space to the sale any longer.

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Judge Bednett.....630

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But that is not enough.
In a letter to a Janesville man, Mr. Blabon states the matter clearly.

If the citizens do not show their interest in the matter, and raise the money for the power house, the line will be abandoned.

The letter does not put it quite as plainly as that, but that is what it means.

The line has never paid Mr. Blabon a cent in return on his investment, and he now thinks that this is as good a time as he will get to get out by charging the Janesville investment to profit and loss.

The idea that he has too much invested to abandon the line, is not true.

He can afford to lose the amount, and in fact, wrote Mr. Cummins but a few days ago, that if he (Cummins) had not staid here, at Blabon's request, when had other good offers, he should not have considered rebuilding the plant in any event.

That is the situation, and whether or not the line is rebuilt rests entirely with the citizens.

Will Not Do It All.

Mr. Blabon says he cannot possibly consider running the road unless the power house is built by Janesville people. He has lost so much money in the past that he would rather call it "profit and loss" as it now stands, rather than go to the expense of remodeling the whole line, when it is a known fact that no matter how the line is equipped, he will have to contribute from his own pocket money in order to defray operating expenses over and above the receipts for some years to come. It is no secret that Janesville people alone are the only parties benefited by the street railway.

Some people have the mistaken idea that Mr. Blabon has had much money tied up in the road that he will surely build. He declares, however, that he can afford to lose it and thereby reduce the worry consequent to owning such a plant.

To Build a New Line.

But providing that people do show the right disposition and raise the money for this building he will give them a good street railway. He is no trifter and everything he says can be depended upon.

If Janesville stockholders wish they can elect a Janesville man treasurer of the company.

This is a business proposition and the people are dealing with a business man.

If the street cars run again, it will be because the people have shown their interest by building the power house.

If the people do not show that much interest, Mr. Blabon will know that there is no use in giving Janesville at on expense of thousands of dollars something that Janesville does not want.

If you want the street cars to run, put your shoulders to the wheel and push.

If you do not, they will not run and that is all there is to it.

SECOND THOUGHT WORTH \$200

Thomas McCann Is Now Glad He Didn't Plow Tobacco Field

A little forethought on the part of Thomas McCann has enriched him to the extent of \$200. Mr. McCann has just disposed of four acres of his tobacco crop to A. N. Jones, the price being \$200. This tobacco, while in the field was cut to pieces by a hail storm. Mr. McCann was discouraged at the time and hitching up his team started out to plow up the entire field. A second thought came to him, however, and he concluded to harvest the crop. He now says that "second thought" brought him \$200.

HE WAS NOT "THE HERN BOY"

Darien Lad Was a Wolf Taken In By a Noble Woman

EDITOR GAZETTE—In last night's paper there was an article, "Hern Boy Jailed." I wish to state that he is not a "Hern Boy," but a foundling, a waif picked up by the late Mrs. Ellen H. Wotton, who paid the forfeit of her life in endeavoring to assist fallen humanity.

"SWEET BRIER."

BEYOND THE VALE OF TEARS.

Funeral of Mrs. Fitzgibbon.

The remains of Mrs. Frank Fitzgibbon, who died at Waukegan, Ill., yesterday morning, arrived in the city this noon, and were taken to Trinity church, where services were conducted by Rev. W. H. Wotton, the interment being in Oak Hill. The pall bearers were Fred P. King, Frank Sanner, George King and William Yates.

They Will Not Show

Facial blemishes removed by Prof. Montell's improved methods will never return. Perfect guarantee given in every case. It costs you nothing to talk with him and only a little more for treatment. A full line of his "Velvete" Toilet Requisites for sale. Lady in attendance. Parlors, Murdock Flats.

SOME NEWS FROM ROUND ABOUT

Mrs. Potts sad irons 50 cents at Lowell's.

Dover egg beaters 8 cents each at Lowell's.

PAINTERS have improved the Grand Hotel bus.

DOUBLE wash boards 10 cents each at Lowell's.

MUSLIN underwear—Archie Reid & Co. tomorrow.

ARCHIE REID & Co.—Muslin underwear Wednesday.

LARGE size corn poppers only 14 cents at Lowell's.

THE Inning club members will dance tomorrow evening.

Good Templars will have a good time in Beloit tonight.

GREAT bargains in canned goods this week at Sanborn's.

A FEW Western Washers at exact wholesale cost. Lowell's.

Do you need any apples? New car came last Friday. Sanborn.

THREE pound can solid fruit blackberries 10 cents at Sanborn's.

SPECK, Joe Hield's trotter, is claimed to be local champion.

THE People's Ice company have finished filling their ice houses.

THE sale of seats opens for Human Hearts at the box office Thursday, at 2 p. m.

JOHN CAMEL is down from Edgerton, and will spend the next five days in jail.

THE crowd increases daily at our special sale of winter goods. T. P. Buras.

TWO pound can Beauty sugar peas 10 cents, three cans 25 cents at Sanborn's.

WE have one soft coal burner with drum that will be closed out at \$6. Lowell.

DEEPEST cut on high grade canned goods the city ever saw this week, at Sanborn's.

YOU can test every brand of canned goods offered by us in this special sale at our store. Sanborn.

MADAME Dural's toilet preparation can be had in the city by calling at 252 South Third street.

LOAD up your pantry shelves with the choicest canned goods. Sanborn is selling 125 dozen this week.

CAN'T get nicer Saratoga chips than the Baraboo, put up in 1 and 1 pound packages. 25 cents a pound. Sanborn.

SPRAGUE, Warner & Co's. celebrated coffees, teas and canned goods served free all this week at Vankirk's, No. 12 River street.

EVERYONE invited to test free the finest goods and best cooking ever tasted, at Vankirk Grocery Co's, No. 12 River street.

PEOPLE enjoy buying goods when the quality is way up and the price way down. That's the style of our canned goods. Sanborn.

ARCHIE REID & Co. will sell muslin underwear tomorrow. Special lines at special prices; gowns, skirts, drawers and corset covers.

OUR east window is attracting the attention of many ladies. You will say the goods are pretty if you look at them. B. rt, Bailey & Co.

A REGULAR meeting of Janesville Chapter No. 69, O. E. S. will begin with a social Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 p. m. Banquet at 6:30.

IN the cash price list of groceries for Nolan Bros', full cream cheese was priced at 17 cents per pound. It should have been 10 cents per pound.

LADIES do not fail to call at "Vankirk's" and see the finest display of fancy groceries and test them free. All this week. No 12 River street.

VALENTIENES laces—a complete line of dainty edges, with insertions to match, from 20 cents a dozen yards up to 25 cents a yard. Bort, Bailey & company.

THE new French cheese d'Isigny somewhat the flavor of cottage cheese yet richer. White and fresh, it is delicious. Call in and try it at Sanborn's.

T. H. KOWALSKI the eminent vocal instructor of Chicago, will be glad to meet all those interested in voice culture and choral work, at the Myers house parlors Wednesday afternoon between 2 and 6 o'clock.

THE Rebekahs will give their third annual invitation masquerade on Monday night, Feb. 22. Prizes will be given to the best fancy costume and the best comical costume worn by lady and same for gentleman.

WHITE GOODS—More than 300 new pieces. We have what you want, and at the right price, whether for yourself or the children, in plain, checked, striped, plaid or figured; sheer or heavy. Try us on white goods. Bort, Bailey & Co.

LADIES' kid shoes, button and lace, several styles of toes, regular \$2.50 and \$3 shoes go at \$1.25 a pair as long as they last. The numbers in this lot are 2, 3, 3 and 4. Come early for the rush is breaking up our assortment. H. Hoffmaster & Son, 18 South Main street.

OVER 200 pieces of printed dimities the most popular wash dress goods, now in stock, with small cords, with large cords, with lace and drawn stripes, in beautiful printed effects. Every new idea brought out in dimities for spring you will find in our store waiting for you. Bort, Bailey & Co.

ANDREW D. WHITE, president of Cornell University, has been compelled to decline the invitation to lecture in Janesville this week. He speaks in Madison this evening, and several Janesville people will be present, among them Josiah T. Wright, who was a classmate of President White's in New York.

NEW RULE IN FORCE FROM THIS TIME ON

MORE DELEGATES AT CITY CONVENTIONS.

Basie of Ward Representation Changed

According to the Number of Votes at the Last Presidential Election, and Thirty-Eight Representatives Will Attend—Figures By Wards.

The republican city convention next spring, will be the largest one ever held in Janesville.

From this time on, the convention will consist of thirty-eight delegates, apportioned as follows:

First Ward—ten.

Second Ward—six.

Third Ward—ten.

Fourth Ward—eight.

Fifth Ward—four.

The apportionment of delegates has always been under the rule allowing one delegate to each fifty republican votes or major fraction thereof, cast in the ward at a presidential election.

Republican votes—some people may remember—were in the majority last fall, and the city total was largely increased. As the result, new figures on caucus representation have been made, and the result is as above stated.

The new order of things will now stand until the next presidential election when enough more votes are cast to change the apportionment.

Under the old rule there were 27 delegates in the city convention, and 14 votes were necessary to a choice.

The number being odd, there was no chance for a tie.

This year twenty votes will be necessary to a choice, and as the total number is even, a tie is possible.

The new order of things will be inaugurated at the next spring election.

The republican vote of the city for president, was as follows:

FIRST WARD.

First Precinct.....106

Second Precinct.....317

Total.....423

Delegates at 50 to 1.....19

SECOND WARD.

First Precinct.....122

Second Precinct.....171

Total.....293

Delegates.....6

THIRD WARD.

First Precinct.....283

Second Precinct.....216

Total.....499

Delegates.....10

FOURTH WARD.

First Precinct.....177

Second Precinct.....231

Total.....408

Delegates.....8

FIFTH WARD.

One Precinct.....191

Total.....191

Delegates.....4

Canned Goods Go Fast

Our sale of canned goods opened with a rush this morning at seven o'clock people came to get some of the rare bargains offered. Think of buying the finest canned corn for 6 cents, a can of two pounds peaches the best, three pound can for 10 cents, a three pound can of the finest apricots, 10 and 15 cents and a three pound can of solid blackberries for 10 cents. Remarkable prices for the high class goods. We received 50 cases more of the same goods this morning and if you don't secure some of them you will miss it. Sanborn.

G. B. Austin Can Now See.

G. B. Austin, an old and respected citizen of Janesville, had a cataract removed from his eye today, by Dr. McPherson, the eye specialist.

Mr. Austin was in the lively business in this city, for many years, but had to give up his business two years ago on account of loss of vision.

The operation will restore his vision, and is the third cataract that Dr. McPherson has successfully removed within a few weeks. The doctor's patients are to be congratulated.

Notice.

The undersigned will sell at public auction for cash, at 202 South Main street, on Saturday, February 13, 1897, at 1 p. m., the following property to wit: 1 top buggy, 1 single harness, 1 cutter gear and household furniture of the late Daniel Gower, deceased. J. L. BEAR, Administrator.

Made to Order.

To find a girl with golden hair Who's chic and likewise charming, Is not a task that anywhere Should prove to be alarming. Take any sweet young thing in frocks, Who's near perfection's border— And there you are—the golden lock Can be supplied to order. —Pick-Me-Up.

A RASH ASSERTION.



Very Ardent Lover—Jim, I love that gal so much that I'd marry her even if her mother-in-law wuz twins!—N. Y. Truth.

THE PEOPLE WHO COME AND GO

HARRY SMITH is better.

H. F. NOTT was in Edgerton.

J. M. THAYER was in Beloit.

WILL HARDIN returned to Clinton today.

CHARLES RANDALL spent the day in Orford.

PETER J. RICK is visiting friends in Chicago.

WILLIAM RUGER visited Madison yesterday.

MARSHAL J. C. KURTZ of Edgerton, was in the city.

C. M. FLECK left last evening for Prairie Du Chein.

CAPT. Pliny Norcross went to Madison this morning.

J. M. SHACKELTON was selling flour in Mineral Point.

OLLIE MURWIN of Fulton, is night clerk at the Park Hotel.

MRS. CHARLES G. WILLIAMS is confined to her home by illness.

DR. T. H. FERGUSON of Lake Geneva, visited Dr. R. L. Brown today.

ATTORNEY J. L. Mahoney transacted legal business in Clinton.

Mrs. Mary Lappin and Mrs. Mary Doty spent yesterday in Chicago.

E. I. SMITH has been numbered among the sick during the past few days.

M. H. BOYCE of Belvidere, Ill., was in the city today, calling on relatives and friends.

F. H. BAILEY who has been quite ill for the past few days is able to be about the house.

Mrs. Anna M. Phelps is home from Rockford, where she has been for the past two weeks.

E. P. WIXOM was in Evansville today, where he shipped to car of hogs from his farm to Chicago.

MR. and Mrs. J. B. Harvey of Magnolia, are visiting at Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Miller, Riverview Park.

EDWIN KUNDERT and Miss Mary Hartman, of Monroe, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Rothermel.

S. A. WALKER of Neillsville, grand deputy master workman of the A. O. U. W. of the state, was in town today.

Mrs. Henrietta Rogers leaves Wednesday, for a visit in the east with her son John, whom she has not seen in eight years.

REV. FATHER R. J. ROCHE and Rev. Father E. A. McGILVER were today in Whitewater, to attend the funeral of the late Rev. Father Fitzgibbons.

Show Cases

We have a lot of show cases all sizes and prices. If you want one at a most reasonable price come and see us. They must be sold. Lowell.

Lady Beaconsfield.

We do not know enough of that strange and attractive personality, the wife of Lord Beaconsfield, and any contributions to our knowledge of her are very welcome. "Though the good fortune of meeting Lady Beaconsfield," says a writer in Cornhill Magazine, "was mine only once I have a strong remembrance of her. It was in the year she died, but she had then, at 80 years old, very evident remains of the vivacity which Disraeli marked when he first met her in 1832. Seen at a distance, in a dimly lighted room, what first struck me about the small, dark, quick eyed figure was the strangeness of its attire—homage, it might have been, to her Dizzy's early tastes. What I suppose should be called the bodice of her gown was a sort of dark crimson or bright claret colored velvet tunic (but like nothing else that I have ever seen), going high in the neck, and with what I took for an order of some kind fastened upon the left breast. This unusual decoration was puzzling till, on being taken up to her, I saw that it was a framed oval miniature of her husband, probably 'by Ross.' This was her decoration, pinned on the breast in exactly the right place."

Pennies Not Popular.

It is estimated that many hundred pennies are collected by the car conductors in the course of a day, and as they cannot turn them in at the end of their day's work they often have trouble in disposing of them. In speaking of this a cable car conductor said to a reporter: "Women are almost sure to give us pennies, and they often search their pocketbooks for these coins. We usually give a number of pennies back in change when a bill is given us, and we see that women get their fair share. The reason why the company will not receive pennies is because it would take too long to count them all."—New York Mail and Express.

Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Feb. 8.—The following table shows the range of quotations on the board of trade today:

ARTICLES. High. Low. Closing.

Wheat—Feb. \$ 75.75

May 77.75

July 79.75

Sept. 81.75

Oct.—Feb. 83.75

May 85.75

July 87.75

Oct.—Feb. 89.75

May 91.75

July 93.75

Oct.—Feb. 95.75

May 97.75

July 99.75

Oct.—Feb. 101.75

May 103.75

July 105.75

Oct.—Feb. 107.75

May 109.75

July 111.75

Oct.—Feb. 113.75

May 115.75

July 117.75

Oct.—Feb. 119.75

May 121.75

July 123.75

Oct.—Feb. 125.75

May 127.75

July 129.75

Oct.—Feb. 131.75

May 133.75

July 135.75

Oct.—Feb. 137.75

May 139.75

July 141.75

Oct.—Feb. 143.75

May 145.75

July 147.75

Oct.—Feb. 149.75

May 151.75

July 153.75

Oct.—Feb. 155.75

May 157.75

July 159.75

Oct.—Feb. 161

THE CAT.

Speak very pleasant to the cat.
Remember, if bereft
Of one life, which is dear to her,
She only has eight left.

And then suppose that life is sad—
And often it is so—
Think tenderly how you would feel
With nine to undergo.

Good friends, to cheer a single life,
That were a deed well done.
Remember, he who cheers nine cats
Cheers really eighty-one.

—Boston Woman's Journal.

A GAME OF POKER.

"No, I don't play poker any more," said a big westerner who came into an up town clubhouse the other night with some friends who had been showing him the town. Somebody had suggested a little game of draw as an appropriate wind up of the night's diversion.

"Why, how is that?" exclaimed one of his friends. "You used to play a stiff game. You haven't sworn off, have you?"

"N-no," said the westerner, still serious. "I have not sworn off, but there is no excitement in the game for me now. The last game I played was too exciting."

The thrilling story thereof runs as follows:

"It was a dozen years ago, when I was a tenderfoot, with the usual allowance of freshness and ignorance of frontier perils. We used to call it brashness, and I was certainly brash. I roamed around the country rather for the better part of a year, with a more or less vague purpose of settling somewhere, but not caring much where.

"I was well down toward New Mexico when there was a rumor of Indian troubles, and I heard that a company of United States troops were on the march toward one of the principal villages where the redskins were particularly sullen.

"I had been out hunting for a week with a couple of fellows I had met in one of the towns, when we got the news from a stranger who came into our camp late at night and asked for supper. He admitted when we questioned him—not too closely, for inquisitiveness is at a large discount on the plains, but casually—that he was a scout in the government employ and was on his way to join this company.

"There's likely to be some pretty warm work," he said when we asked a little more, "for if the red devils are not on the warpath now they will be in a day or two, and you fellows will do a smart trick if you turn back."

"Turning back, however, didn't seem very attractive to me when there was so much excitement ahead. I promptly remarked that I thought I would go on with the scout and offer my services to the captain in command. I told you I was pretty brash at the time, and I had no knowledge of military affairs. My notion was that the captain would be glad of a recruit, or, at least, that he would make no objection to my going with him.

"I noticed that the scout looked at me a little curiously, but he evidently thought it was not his business to educate tenderfeet, and he only grunted. My two companions were as fresh as I was, and we told the scout we would go along if he had no objection.

"It's a free country, and I reckon you can travel wherever you like," he said, with a grin that I understood better afterward.

"We started before dawn and had thirty odd miles to go to strike the trail where the company was expected to camp that night. There were still some ten miles to go, when, as we were rounding a small hill, the scout suddenly leaped from his horse and called to us to do the same.

"He had seen Indians, and, to cut it short, we camped that night in a place where the scout said that four men could hold out for awhile even against the hundred or so in the party that had surrounded us. It was a certainty, though, that we would all lose our scalps unless help came, for there was no water to be had, and the Indians knew it and made themselves comfortable just out of range of our rifles.

"The scout didn't say much for a long time, but we could see that he was thinking as hard as any of us, and we were all pretty busy at it. There didn't seem to be anything to suggest, or at least there was nothing that I could think of, excepting to make a dash and try to break through.

"Nobody said anything in reply when I spoke of that, and the scout gave me a look of disgust that made me angry enough, but shut me up all the same. Finally he said:

"It's just this way: These devils have caught us and they know it. They won't make a rush, for they know we will shoot, and an Indian will never risk being shot if he can get his man without. We can't fight our way out. There's too many of 'em. And we can't stay here any longer than we can live without water."

"I asked him if the captain wouldn't make a search for him, and he said the captain didn't know he was coming. 'He's on his way south,' he said, 'and the trail he is on is ten miles to the east of us. There's only one thing that I see, and that means certain death for somebody, I reckon. It's certain death for all of us, though, if something ain't done.' I asked him what it was, and he said:

"If one man can make his way southeast far enough so that the noise of the firing will reach the company, the captain will send a searching party. It all depends on how far the man gets before he is killed. If we all ride out, we will all be killed. If one man goes, the others may stand a chance."

"We all looked at one another in silence for a good while. My blood ran cold at the idea of riding out alone into that pack of fiends, but I realized that

our only chance was for somebody to go, and I knew life was as sweet to the others as it was to me.

"Instinctively we began first talking about the way the man who should go should maneuver to best advantage before raising the question who should be the man. It took only a few minutes, though, for the scout to give his advice, which was for one to ride out, waving a white handkerchief. He was to keep to the eastward and ride as hard as he dared toward the Indians, looking sharply for the weakest point in their line toward his right. He should then make a dash and ride as hard as possible until it was all over, firing as often as he could.

"Then we had to decide who should go, and I supposed, of course, that we would draw lots, but one of the men spoke up unexpectedly:

"Whoever goes," he said, "doesn't want to start for some hours. The scout says just after daybreak is the best time. What is the matter of settling this thing with poker? We can play freeze out, and three games will settle it, the winner dropping out each time."

"The proposition caught me. You know I used to pride myself on my poker. After a little hesitation the others agreed. The man who proposed it had the cards, and we counted out 600 coffee beans for chips and began playing on a blanket folded and laid on the ground.

"You would think the details of a game like that would fix themselves in the memory so that I would be able to tell you every hand I held and every bet I made, wouldn't you? Well, I can't. In fact, I can't tell anything about the first game excepting that I was the first man to lose all his chips. I had played often enough for what I thought were high stakes, but the thought that I was playing for my life rattled me completely, and I really believe I bet at random.

"Whatever I did I lost, and the man who had proposed the game won out. He was shot in a gambling house three months later—had an extra ace in his sleeve, I believe, or something like that.

"The next freeze out, between three of us, was a comparatively short one. It did not take more than 20 minutes for the scout to gather in all the chips, but, short as it was, I managed to get myself together a little, though I was still full of the thought of the value of the stakes—a thing which, I have noticed, always interferes with my play.

"When the third game began, however, I pulled myself together with a most tremendous effort and really became as cool as I ever had been before at a game of cards. The man I played against this time was a young Englishman whom I had grown to esteem highly in the short time I had known him. His people at home never heard this story, and I hope they never will. They know that he was killed by the Indians and that he was on a hunting trip, but they never heard of his last game of cards nor of the way he rode to his death.

"We had each 300 beans, and half a dozen hands were dealt before either of us got cards to bet on. Then on my deal I caught three deuces and made it 50 to play. He looked at his cards and raised me 50, which I covered. He drew one card and let it lie without looking at it, while he watched me.

"I saw him looking, of course, and I am more glad than I am of almost anything else I ever did in an almost useless life to think that I made the worst play I ever saw made. I liked the man well, as I said, and some impulse that I couldn't understand then, and can't explain now, told me to leave the thing to chance and to give him a little the better chance.

"I had played with him before, and I was certain that he was drawing to a flush, and somehow I felt that he had filled it. Of course I should have drawn to the strength of my hand, but I didn't. I drew one card only, holding up an eight spot to my deuces, and I shoved all my beans into the pot without looking at my draw.

"He gave me one look, in which I read a perfect appreciation of what I had done, and without a word and without lifting his fifth card he pushed his chips forward.

"Then my nerve gave out. I grew as white as death, I know, though no one ever told me so, and I actually could not lift my cards. His nerve never shook, though, apparently, and he turned his fifth card over as he laid it on the blanket. They were all clubs.

"He looked at me, and I swear I saw regret in his eyes. I tell you he was a man. Then I managed to turn my hand over. I had drawn the other eight."

The westerner stopped. He drained his glass and then said:

"Waiter, bring another bottle and bring me some whisky besides. This stuff doesn't go to the right spot." Then, after he had had his drink, he said:

"You don't wonder, do you, that I don't play poker any more?"

"No," said his hearers, "but finish the story."

"Oh, there isn't much more to it. At least that is the end of it, as I think about it. The Englishman shook hands with us all and rode away. We watched him until he fell, and he must have gone fully three miles. A good many Indians fell before he did, for he was a clever shot. Later in the day the company came to our rescue, and I am glad to say a good many more Indians paid for his death with their own."—New York Sun.

The Cripple's Advantage.

This city has a wooden legged burglar that is a puzzle to the police. Every night for a week the mysterious individual has visited from one to half a dozen residences, wrecking larders and carrying off articles of clothing.

His tracks clearly show that he has one wooden leg, and as bloodhounds refuse to follow his trail it is supposed that both legs are artificial.

He has been sighted several times, but each time disappears so suddenly that those superstitiously inclined declare that he goes either straight up or straight down.—Kokomo (Ind.) Letter.

RHEUMATISM

Munyon's Rheumatism Cure is guaranteed to cure acute or muscular rheumatism in from one to five days. Sharp, shooting pains in any part of the body stopped by a few doses. A prompt, complete and permanent cure for lameness, soreness, stiff back and all pains in hips and joints. Chronic rheumatism, sciatica, lumbago or pain in the back are speedily cured. It seldom fails to give relief from one or two doses, and almost invariably cures before one bottle has been used. Price 25c.

MUNYON'S

Improved Homoeopathic Home Remedy Company put up a separate cure for each disease. At all druggists, mostly 25 cents. Guide to Health free.

Personal letters to Prof. Munyon, 1505 Arch street, Philadelphia, Pa., answered with free medical advice for any disease.

Home Seekers' Excursions.

Home Seekers' round trip excursion tickets to points in Iowa, Minnesota, the Dakotas, Northern Wisconsin, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, Texas, Mississippi, Louisiana, Georgia, Indian Territory, Kansas, Arkansas, Alabama. In Florida on the Louisville & Nashville railroad North and South Carolina, Oklahoma, Tennessee, Kentucky and western portion of Colorado will be sold by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway at half fare plus \$2.00 on January 5 and 19, February 2 and 16, March 2 and 16 and April 6 and 20, 1897.

Chicago, Pa., "Herald." Richard Vensel reports One Minute Cough Cure the greatest success of medical science. He told us that it cured his whole family of terrible coughs and colds, after all other so called cures had failed entirely. Mr. Vensel said it assisted his children through a very bad siege of measles. One Minute Cough Cure makes expectation very easy and rapid. C. D. Stevens.

Lost—A dear little child—who made home happy by its smiles. And to think, it might have been saved had the parents only kept in the house One Minute Cough Cure, the infallible remedy for croup. C. D. Stevens.

A torpid liver means a bad complexion, bad breath, indigestion and frequent headaches. To avoid such complications take DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills. C. D. Stevens.

ALL the different forms of skin troubles, from chapped hands to eczema and indolent ulcers, can be readily cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, the great pile cure. C. D. Stevens.

DOUBLE sole heavy calfskin shoe for railroad men at \$3 a pair. A Richardson Shoe Co.

Annual Convention, National Creamery Butter Makers' Association.

For the above meeting, to be held at Owatonna, Minn., February 16 to 20 inclusive, the Northwestern line will sell tickets, on the certificate plan, at reduced rates. For full information apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern Railway.

Piles! Piles! Piles!

Dr. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment will cure Blind Bleeding, Ulcerated and Itching Piles. It absorbs the tumors, slays the itching, and, once, acts as a poultice, gives instant relief. Dr. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment is prepared only for Piles and Itching of the privy parts, and nothing else. Every box is guaranteed. Sold by druggists, sent by mail, for 50c and \$1.00 per box. WILLIAMS' MEDICINE CO., Proprietors, Cleveland, O. For sale by Geo. E. King & Co., druggist.

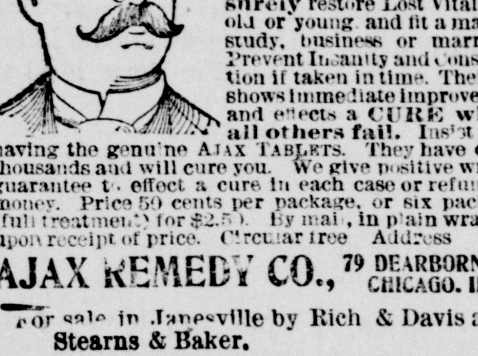


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All colors Tissue Paper, per doz. 7c
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Extra fine Horse Blankets \$1.25
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6 pairs Rockford Socks 25c
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6 Hooks and Staples 10c
Screen and Awning Pulleys 5c
Butts, all sizes, per pair 5c

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Square Pans, 3c
Curry Combs 10c
Dish Pans, 18c
Shot, per pound 5c
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Lawn Mowers \$2.35
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Awls 8c
Stone Hammer 50c
Key Tag 1c
Key Ring 3c
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Flannel Skirts, only 49c
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50 pair Shoes and Slippers 25c
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6 inch Elbows, 8c
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Steel Spiders, 22c
Taper Files, all sizes, 5c
Sand Paper, dozen, 7c
One Stove Drum, 1.50
One Spicer Radiator, 2.50
Double Ovens for Gasoline Stoves, 1.55
Baby Shoes, turned, 43c
2 quart Pails, 6c
3 quart Pails, 8c
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A Pioneer Educator.
Dr. Henry Barnard, who is known as the Father of American Education, celebrated on Jan. 24 the eighty-sixth anniversary of his birth. Few men have so persistently turned their energies toward one purpose as has Dr. Barnard during his long lifetime. From earliest man-



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BE STRONG AND HEARTY.

HOW TO BE STRONG AND FULL OF LIFE AND VIGOR.

If you starved for two days you would feel as weak as a cat.

Proof enough that your food is the cause of your strength.

If your stomach is sick, you're starving away your strength. Slowly, perhaps, but none the less surely.

You feel it yourself.

You have nausea, loss of appetite, headache, giddiness, pain in the stomach, loss of strength, spirits and ambition.

What do you think? That it's your head?

But it's not. It's simply your stomach.

Food is strength. Stomach makes it available. If stomach won't work, food does not become available strength.

Shaker Digestive Cordial will, in a few doses, make your stomach well and help your food make you strong.

Who wouldn't be strong? Whoever wouldn't take Shaker Digestive Cordial. Sick, tired and weary men and women, those who are working their bodies and brains too hard, will find relief and strength in Shaker Digestive Cordial.

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It's not an ordinary medicine, it's a cordial.

It's pleasant to take, and more than pleasant in its results.

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A Skilled and Royal Referee.
Oscar II, king of Sweden and Norway, who may play an important part in the settlement of the Venezuelan question between Great Britain and the United States, is one of the most cultured and democratic monarchs in all Europe. He



KING OSCAR II.
has other characteristics which make him a most interesting personage. As an arbitrator it is doubtful if a man more acceptable to both nations or one better fitted for the duties could have been found, for this is not the first time that he has been asked to act as referee in such disputes.

FREE TO EVERY MAN

WHICH CURED HIM AFTER EVERYTHING ELSE FAILED

THE METHOD OF A GREAT TREATMENT FOR WEAKNESS OF MEN.

Painful diseases are bad enough, but when a man is slowly wasting away with nervous weakness, the mental forebodings are ten times worse than the most severe pain. There is no rest up to the mental suffering day or night. Sleep is almost impossible and under such a strain men are scarcely responsible for what they do. For years the writer rolled and tossed on the troubled sea of sexual weakness until it was a question whether he had a better take a dose of poison and thus end all his troubles. But providential inspiration came to his aid in the shape of a combination of medicines that not only completely restored the general health, but enlarged his weak, emaciated parts to natural size and vigor, and he now declares that any man who will take the trouble to send his name and address may have the method of this wonderful treatment free. Now when I say free I mean absolutely without cost, because I want every weakened man to get the benefit of my experience.

I am not a philanthropist, nor do I pose as an enthusiast, but there are thousands of men suffering the mental tortures of weakened manhood who would be cured at once could they but get such a remedy as the one that cured me. Do not try to study out how I am able to pay the few postage stamps necessary to mail the information, but send for it, and learn that there are a few things on earth that although they cost nothing to get they are worth a fortune to some men and mean a lifetime of happiness to a great many of us. Write to Thomas Shaker, Box 264, Raisinville, Mich., and the information will be mailed in a plain sealed envelope.

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MUSLIN UNDERGARMENTS.

WEDNESDAY,
FEBRUARY 10th.

Ours have merit, are made as you would make them yourself, are good full sizes. Complete lines of Gowns, Skirts, Chemise, Drawers and Corset covers are in stock for this February sale and the usual special bargains will be on the counters. At these sales we offer Muslin Underwear at prices which are less than you can buy materials and get the garments up for



Ladies' Muslin Drawers, cluster tucks, made of good weight, cotton, sizes 23, 25 and 27.... 21c
Ladies' Umbrella Drawers, wide cambric ruffle, sizes 23 and 25 25c
Ladies' Umbrella Drawers, ruffled and edged with embroidery, sizes 23 and 25 49c
Ladies' Muslin Skirts, 14 inch umbrella ruffle of cambric, cluster tucks, lengths 36, 38, 40, and 42 69c
Muslin Corset Covers, "V" neck with two rows Hamburg, square neck with one row, sizes, 32, 34, 36, and 38 23c
Cambric Corset Covers, "V" neck with beautiful buttonhole embroidery 33c
Cambric Night Gowns, cluster tucks, braid trimmed, square yoke ruffled collar and wide cuffs of lawn, full bishop sleeves; also same with Hamburg edge, sizes 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18 69c
Twenty-five dozen sample Gowns (some slightly soiled) values to \$2 will be put out Wednesday at 89c
Men's Muslin Night Shirts, "The Garland," silk embroidered front, collar, cuffs and pocket; embroidered, full sizes and lengths 49c
Infants' Short Dresses, special values at 23c, 38c, 49c, 49c, 69c and 89c
Infants' Long Slips at 39c, 49c, 69c and 89c
In addition to the lines mentioned will be also the better numbers in Gowns, Skirts, Drawers, &c., at special Wednesday prices.

CLOAKS—The only bargains in town are here; business in the Cloak department reminds us of the November rush.

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Printed DIMITIES.

Over 200 pieces of this most popular wash dress goods now in stock, with small cords, with large cords, with lace and drawn stripes in beautiful pointed effects. Every new idea brought out in DIMITIES for spring you will find in our store waiting for you.

Cambrics.

150 pieces new 36-inch wide printed Cambrics--pink, light blue, Russian and navy blues, lavers, reds, buffs, greens and blacks---all shades and all styles of combinations of colors. You will say when you see these new Cambrics that they are simply marvels of beauty.

White Goods.

More than 300 new pieces. We have what you want and at the right price, whether for yourself

or the children, in plain, checked, striped, plaid or figured, sheer or heavy. Try us on White Goods.

Embroideries.

Nearly every lady in Rock county is aware of our reputation on this line. "The largest stock of choice, new patterns on fine material at lower prices than can be found elsewhere." Enough said, don't you think?

Valenciennes Laces.

A complete line of dainty edges with insertions to match, from 20c a dozen yards up to 25c a yard.

We expect to largely increase our business. We are therefore increasing our stock. Doing a cash business, we expect to sell dry goods cheaper than other dealers, and we are therefore marking our goods at a very close margin. We solicit your patronage, and trust you will find that it pays to buy of

BORT, BAILEY & CO.

A GREAT EVENT IN CANNED GOODS



125 DOZEN TO BE SOLD AT BARGAINS

We were enabled last week to buy 125 dozen canned fruit and vegetables, the choicest varieties, at very low prices, and will give you the benefit as long as they last. We should not have touched them at any price if the quality had been inferior, but they are all strictly first-class. You can examine the goods from open cans at our store. Examine the list carefully.

Canned Goods.

3 lb can California Yellow Peaches, 15c; doz.,	\$1.60	3 lb can Genesee Pumpkin, 10c; 3 cans 25c; doz.,	\$1.00
Small can Raspberries in Sugar Syrup, 5c; doz.,	50c	Large can Asparagus,	35c
3 lb can Golden Seal Apricots in Sugar Syrup, fine goods, 15c; dozen,	1.50	Large can Asparagus Tips,	25c
3 lb can Tepee Blackberries, 10c; \$1.10 doz.; fine goods an immense trade.		2 lb can Corn, good quality,	06c
3 lb can California Black Cherries, 15c; dozen,	1.65	3 lb can Spinach,	20c
3 lb can Triby Peaches, 10c; dozen,	1.15	Gallon cans Pears, per can,	25c
3 lb can Aqua Fruta California Peaches, 13c; doz.,	1.40	Gallon cans Plums, per can,	25c
3 lb can King Boman Apricots, 10c; dozen,	1.10	Gallon cans Nectarines, per can,	25c
Fancy can Figs,	20c	Gallon cans Apples, per can,	20c
2 lb. can Lima Beans, 10c; fine stock, 3 cans,	25c	5 gallons best Oil,	45c
2 lb can Stringless Beans, 10c; 3 cans, 25c; per doz.,	90c	Fancy Salt Pork, per pound,	5c
2 lb can Beauty Sugar Peas, 10c; 3 for 25c; dozen,		Strictly Fresh Eggs, per dozen,	15c
\$1 A bargain.		Fancy, Fresh, Large Lemons, per dozen,	15c
3 lb can Sealed Hulled Corn, 10c; 3 cans,	25c	12 lbs Oatmeal,	25c
3 lb can Ruby Tomatoes, 10c, fine goods; 3 cans,	25c	New Ungraded Prunes, per pound,	05c
		Fancy Ring Apples, per pound,	5c

We have been induced from its immense success to continue the flour sale another week.

Flour

Washburn Crosby Co.'s (Minneapolis) Gold Medal, per sack.....	\$1.10
(In ten sack lots, \$1.05.)	
Hard to Beat (Janesville Minnesota) Flour, per sack.....	1.05
(In ten sack lots, \$1.00.)	
You must realize that this price cannot last as the world's supply is short and it is only a question of time when wheat and flour will be higher.	

Soap

We never sold so much soap in such a short time as we did the past week. It takes so well the prices will be continued.

7 bars Santa Claus.....	25c
7 bars Lenox.....	25c
7 bars Old Country.....	25c
7 bars Fairbanks' Brown.....	25c

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